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least one biological activity of the polypeptide encoded by clone P00210\_D09 (SEQ ID NO: 2);

(e) a polynucleotide encoding at least about 50 contiguous amino acids from amino acids 22 to 122 of SEQ ID NO: 1, wherein said polynucleotide encodes a polypeptide having at least one biological activity of the polypeptide encoded by clone P00210\_D09 (SEQ ID NO: 2);

(f) a polynucleotide encoding at least about 50 contiguous amino acids from amino acids 56 to 122 of SEQ ID NO: 1, wherein said polynucleotide encodes a polypeptide having at least one biological activity of the polypeptide encoded by clone P00210\_D09 (SEQ ID NO: 2);

(g) a polynucleotide of SEQ ID NO: 2; and

(h) the complement of a polynucleotide of (a) – (g).

#### REMARKS

Claims 1-8 are pending in this application. Claims 9-29 have been canceled without prejudice.

#### The Restriction Requirement

Applicants were requested to elect, for examination purposes, the invention of one of Groups I-XII, listed on pages 2-3 of the Office Action. The invention of Group I (Claims 1-8) drawn to nucleic acids encoding a polypeptide having the sequence of SEQ ID NO:1 or hybridizing under stringent conditions with the complement of the coding region of SEQ ID NO: 2 or the complements thereof, are hereby elected, with traverse. Claims 9-29 have been canceled to reflect this election.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made."